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## GEOFF ELEY

### PERSONAL:

Full Name: Geoffrey Howard Eley  
Born: May 4, 1949, Burton-on-Trent, Staffs, United Kingdom  
Home Address: 2320 Adare Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48104  
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### POSITIONS HELD:

Karl Pohrt Distinguished University Professor of Contemporary History	2006-
Sylvia L. Thrupp Collegiate Professor of Comparative History, University of Michigan	2000-2006
Professor of German Studies, University of Michigan	1997-
Professor of History, University of Michigan	1986-
Associate Professor of History, University of Michigan	1981-1986
Assistant Professor of History, University of Michigan	1979-1981
College Lecturer, Fellow and Director of Studies in History, Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge	1975-1979
Lecturer in History, Keele University	1974-1975
Research Fellow, University College of Wales, Swansea	1973-1974

### EDUCATION:

Sussex University, D. Phil. 1974	1970-1973
Balliol College, Oxford University, B.A. (First Class)	1967-1970
Other degrees: M.A. (Oxon.), M.A. (Contab.)	

### AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS:

Fellow, Institute for the Humanities, Birkbeck College, University of London, UK	Spring 2010
Teaching Faculty, School of Criticism and Theory, Cornell University, Ithaca	Summer 2010
Institute of Advanced Study, University of Warwick, UK	Spring 2009
Hallsworth Visiting Professor, University of Manchester, UK	Spring 2007
University of Michigan University Press Book Award	2006
Karl Pohrt Distinguished University Professor of Contemporary History	2006-
John H. D'Arms Award for Distinguished Graduate Mentoring in Humanities	2005
Guggenheim Fellowship	2003-2004
Getty Scholar, Getty Research Institute (declined)	2001-2002
Sylvia L. Thrupp Collegiate Professor of Comparative History	2000-2006
Cecil H. and Ida Green Visiting Professor, University of British Columbia	Fall 1999
Michigan Humanities Award	Fall 1998
Rackham Summer Interdisciplinary Institute	1998

LS&A Excellence in Research Award	1996-1997
Guest Fellow, Hartley Institute, Southampton University	1995
German Marshall Fund Fellowship	1994-1995
University of Michigan Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award	1994
Research Partnership, Rackham and OVPR, University of Michigan	1993-1994
Guest Fellow, Max-Planck-Institut für Geschichte, Göttingen	1993
Institute for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship, University of Michigan	1992-1993
Research Partnership, Rackham and OVPR, University of Michigan	1990-1991
Richard Hudson Research Professorship of History, University of Michigan	Fall 1989
University of Michigan Faculty Recognition Award	1987
National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship	1983-1984
Rackham Faculty Fellowship	1985-1986
Rackham Faculty Grant	1982, 1985, 1988
SSRC (UK) Research Exchange Scheme, Federal Republic of Germany	Dec. 1978
Volkswagen Studentship (for research in Germany)	1972-1973
Major State Studentship	1970-1972
Wright Prize for most distinguished performance in History, Balliol College, Oxford	1970
Oliphant Prize in History, Balliol College	1970
Beazley Prize in International Relations, Balliol College	1968, 1969, 1970
Brackenbury Open Scholarship in History, Balliol College	1967-1970
Miscellaneous research awards: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD); British Academy; Twenty-Seven Foundation; Cambridge History Faculty; Emmanuel College	1972-1979

## **CONSULTANCIES:**

Regular adviser for Oxford University Press and miscellaneous other publishers.  
 External Reviewer, Department of History Graduate Program, York University, September 2000  
 External Reviewer, Department of History, SUNY Stony Brook, November 1999  
 External Reviewer, Department of History, Northeastern University, Winter 1987  
 Consultant to Department of History, University of Mississippi, 1987  
 Consultant to NEH project for Enhancement of the Interdisciplinary Program in the Humanities, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, November 1985

## **CONFERENCE ORGANIZING, ETC.:**

Workshop, "Empire and its effects," Remarque Institute, New York University, February 8-9, 2013  
 Workshop, "Fascisms Then and Now: Italy, Japan, Germany," University of Notre Dame, October 25-26, 2012  
 Conference, "Writing East German History: What Difference Does the Cultural Turn Make?," University of Michigan, December 5-6, 2008  
 Workshop, "Rethinking German Modernities, III: Reform, Empire, Aesthetics," University of Cincinnati, June 2-3, 2007  
 Conference on "From Resistance to Consensus to Negotiation: Changing Approaches to the History of Italian Fascism." University of Michigan, April 27-28, 2007  
 Teach-Out on the Iraq War, University of Michigan, October 30, 2006

Workshop, "Rethinking German Modernities, II: "What is the 'Germanness' of German History," University of Michigan, May 26-27, 2006

Workshop, "Rethinking German Modernities, I: "Modernity and Empire: Reconceptualizing Twentieth-Century German History," University of Toronto, May 19-21, 2005

Conference, "Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany," Oxford, September 10-12, 2004

Second Midwest German History Workshop, University of Michigan, November 21-22, 1998

Panel, "German Film as History: Society, Ideology, Culture," American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, January 11, 1998

Panel, "Citizenship and the Nation Form in Germany," American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, January 5, 1996

Conference, "European Liberalism: History, Historiography, and Theories," University of Michigan, March 31-April 1, 1995

Workshop, "Economics, Globalization, and Democratization," Program for the Comparative Study of Social Transformations (CSST) and Center for Transcultural Studies (Chicago), University of Michigan, October 8-9, 1994

Panel, "Learning from Cultural Studies: History, Literature, Film," German Studies Association Annual Conference, Dallas, October 2, 1994

Conference, "Power: Thinking Across the Disciplines," University of Michigan, January 24-26, 1992

Symposium, "Germans Growing Together: Psychological, Cultural, and Political Aspects of the Unification Process in Germany," University of Michigan, October 4, 1991

Conference, "Germany and Russia in Comparative Perspective," University of Pennsylvania, September 19-22, 1991

Conference, "The Kaiserreich in the 1990s: New Research, New Directions, New Agendas," University of Pennsylvania, February 23-25, 1990

Symposium, "Democracy and the West German Constitution," University of Michigan, October 27, 1989

Panel, "The Left and Cultural Politics," German Studies Association Annual Conference, Milwaukee, October 7, 1989

Conference, "Metropolitan and Third World Lefts 1917-1985," University of Michigan, January 27, 1989

Panel, "The Work of Christopher Hill: Still the Century of Revolution?," American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, December 29, 1986

Conference, "From the Politics of Anti-Fascism to the Crisis of Stalinism, 1943-1956," University of Michigan, November 14-15, 1986

Conference, "Fifty Years of the Popular Front," University of Michigan, November 15, 1985

Panel, "Testing Socialism and Democracy: Germany, 1914-1933," Fifth International Conference of Europeanists,

Washington, D.C., October 19, 1985

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

President, Central European History Society	2013
Nominated for Presidency of the American Historical Association	2012
Executive Committee, German Studies Association	2011-2014
International Project on "Women and the Question of Socialism"	1994-1998
International Advisory Committee for Project on "Viennese Modernities," Vienna Council for European Studies	1995-1996
International Conference of Europeanists Program Committee	1992-1996
Modern European History Executive Committee, American Historical Association	1991-1992
Co-Organizer, Michigan Conferences on International Communism	1992-1996
Executive Board of Conference Group on Central European History	1985-1989
Fellow of the Royal Historical Society	1982-1984
Founding Chair, German History Society (UK)	1982-
Founder and Convenor, Cambridge Social History Seminar	1979
	1975-1979

## EDITORIAL POSITIONS:

Editor, Book Series on *Social History, Popular Culture, and Politics in Germany*, University of Michigan Press, 1988-2011

Co-Editor, Series on *Culture/Power/History*, Princeton University Press, 1988-98

Associate Editor, *Social History*, 2012-

Editorial Boards: *Social History* (1976- ), *New German Critique* (1981-2003), *German History* (1987- ), *Comparative Studies in Society and History* (1980-96), *WerkstattGeschichte* (1992- ), *International Labor and Working-Class History* (1993- ), *Left History* (2002-), *Michigan Quarterly Review* (2004-), *Critical Historical Studies* (2013-), *Historia e Perspectivas* (2013-).

Editorial Board Member, Book Series on "Politics, History, and Culture," Duke University Press, 2000-13

Co-Editor, Special North American (Oct. 1985) and German (May 1979) issues of *Social History*

Review Editor, *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, 1980-86

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

Center for Transcultural Studies, Chicago  
 American Historical Association  
 Conference Group on Central European History  
 German History Society (UK)  
 German Studies Association  
 North American Conference on British Studies  
 European Network in Universal and Global History  
 Council for European Studies  
 Social Science History Association  
 Society for the Study of Labour History (UK)  
 Society for the Study of Welsh Labour History

**TEACHING:****GRADUATE COURSES:**

*Fascism, Aesthetics, Politics, Modernity*: Six-Week Seminar for the School of Criticism and Theory at Cornell University, Ithaca, June 22-July 23, 2009

*Doctoral Program in Anthropology and History Core Seminar*

*Thinking about Culture*: Rackham Interdisciplinary Seminar (Cantor Seminar)

*Thinking about the (Post)Modern*: Rackham Interdisciplinary Seminar, designed and co-taught with Julia Adams (Sociology)

*Culture, Practice, and Social Change*: team taught CSST core course, cross-listed in History, Anthropology, Sociology, with varying thematic definition

*Large-Scale Social and Political Transformations*: CSST course, designed and co-taught with Margaret R. Somers (Sociology), cross-listed in History and Sociology, with varying thematic definition

*Modernity and Other Utopias*: Humanities Institute sponsored course

*Current Approaches in European History*: required introductory course for incoming European History students, which I team taught in 1981 and 1982, and taught individually in 1990, 1992, and 1996

*Cultural and Political Histories of the Social: European Comparisons*: cotaught with Kathleen Canning

*Approaches to Cultural Studies*

*Studies in German History*: main course for graduate students in the modern German field

*Studies in European History*

*Seminar in European History*

*Dissertation Writers Workshop*

**UNDERGRADUATE COURSES:**

*Europe since 1700* (History 111, lecture)

*Coming to Terms with Germany* (History/German 171, lecture)

*Europe 1890-1945* (History 318, lecture)

*Europe since 1945* (History 319, lecture)

*The Origins of Nazism: Culture and Politics in Germany, 1918-1945* (History/German 322, lecture)

*Men, Women, and Nations* (History/Women's Studies 362, lecture)

*Forms of Popular Politics* (History 397, colloquium)

*Germany 1890-1920* (History 397, colloquium)

*Contemporary Britain* (History 397, colloquium)

*Gramsci* (History 397, colloquium)

*History and Film: Reimagining Britain, 1945-2000* (History 397, colloquium)

*Modern German History* (History 419, 420, 421, lecture)

*The Left in Europe* (History 490, lecture)

*Nations and Nationalism* (History 591, lecture)

Chair of 34 completed dissertations; committee member for many others.

## **ADMINISTRATION:**

### **University of Michigan, 1979-**

Chair, History Department, 2008-13

Executive Committee, History Department, 1982, 1987-89, 1999-2002

Augmented Executive Committee, History Department, 2004-05

Convenor, Department Colloquium, 2002

Chair of Graduate Admissions and Fellowship Committee, History Department, 1984-86

Chair of Graduate Fellowship Committee, History Department, 1982-83

Member of Graduate Fellowship Committee, History Department, 1980-82, 1995-97

Search Committees, History Department, 1981-82, 1982-83, 1985-86, 1986-87, 1987-88, 1988-89, 1990-91, 1991-92, 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000, 2000-01

Co-Chair, History-Sociology Search Committee, 1990-91

LS&A College Executive Committee, 1991-94, 2002-03

Chair, German Department, 2004-07

German Department Executive Committee, 1999-2000

German Studies Committee, 1988-98

Acting Director, Program in Film & Video Studies, Fall 2002

Film & Video Program Executive Committee, 1995-98

Film & Video Program Search Committees, 1995-96, 1996-97, 1999-2000

Director, Program for the Comparative Study of Social Transformations, Winter 1988, 1990-92, 1998-2003

Steering Committee, Program for the Comparative Study of Social Transformations, 1987-94, 1996-2003

Rackham Graduate School Executive Board, 1999-2000

Rackham Graduate School Divisional Review Committee for Faculty Grants, 1995-96

Chair, Rackham Graduate School Divisional Review Committee for Faculty Grants, 1996-97

Chair of Center for Western European Studies Ad Hoc Committee, 1988-94

Center for Western European Studies Executive Committee, 1982-88

Program in British Studies Executive Committee, 1995-97

History and Anthropology Executive Committee, 1991-93

Collegiate Fellow, LS&A, 1988-89

Race & Ethnicity Search LSA & School of Public Policy, 1996-97

### **University of Cambridge, 1975-1979:**

Director of Studies in History, Emmanuel College, 1975-79

Governing Body, Emmanuel College, 1975-79

Research Fellowship Committee, Emmanuel College, 1976-77

College History Committee, Emmanuel College, 1978-79

Representative Examiner, Group II Colleges Common Entrance, 1975-79

Examiner, Social and Political Sciences, 1979

Directors of Studies Committee, 1975-79

Member, Executive Committee of Cambridge Association of University Teachers, 1978-79

## LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

### BOOKS:

German Colonialism in a Global Age, Editor with Bradley D. Naranch (Durham: Duke University Press, 2014),

Nazism as Fascism: Violence, Ideology, and the Ground of Consent in Germany, 1930-1945 (London: Routledge, 2013), x + 233

Σφρηλατώντας τη δημοκρατία Ιστορία της Ευρωπαϊκής Αριστεράς 1923–2000 (Athens: Savallas Editions, 2011), Greek Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, 2 vols., 1,010

El futuro de la clase en la Historia. Qué queda de lo social? (Valencia: Universitat de València, 2010), Spanish Edition of The Future of Class in History: What's Left of the Social?, 243

After the Nazi Racial State: Difference and Democracy in Germany and Europe. With Rita Chin, Heide Fehrenbach, and Atina Grossmann (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2009), 263

Demokrasiyi Kurmak. Avrupa Solunun Tarihi 1850-2000 (Istanbul: Doruk, 2008), Turkish Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, 1,004

Una Línea Torcida. De la historia cultural a la historia de la sociedad (València: Publicacions de la Universitat de València, 2008), Spanish Edition of A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society, 313

The Left, 1848-2000 (Seoul: Puriwa Ipari Publishing Company, 2008), Korean Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, 1,027

Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany, Editor with Jan Palmowski (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2007), 308

Kovanje Demokratije: Istorija Ievice u Evropi, 1850-2000 (Belgrade: Fabrika knjiga, 2007), Serbian Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, 750

The Peculiarities of German History, with David G. Blackbourn (South Korean edition of Mythen deutscher Geschichtsschreibung, Seoul, 2007), 271

The Future of Class in History: What's Left of the Social?, with Keith Nield (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2007), 272

A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2005), xviii + 301

Historia de la izquierda en Europa 1850-2000 (Barcelona: Critica, 2006), Catalan Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, xxv + 683

Forjando a Democracia. A história da esquerda na Europa, 1850-2000 (Sao Paulo: Editoria Fundacao Perseu Abramo, 2005), Brazilian Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, xxvi + 677

Wilhelminism and its Legacies: German Modernities, Imperialism, and the Meanings of Reform, 1890-1930. Editor with James Retallack (New York and Oxford: Berghahn Books, 2003), x + 269

Un mundo que ganar. Historia de la izquierda en Europa, 1850-2000 (Barcelona: Crítica, 2003), Spanish Edition of Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000, xxv + 677

Forging Democracy: The History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000 (New York: Oxford University Press, 2002), xxii+ 698

The Goldhagen Effect. History, Memory, Nazism: Facing the German Past, Editor (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2000), viii + 172

Becoming National: A Reader, Editor with Ronald Grigor Suny (New York: Oxford University Press, 1996), vi + 518

Society, Culture, and the State in Germany, 1870-1930: New Approaches, Editor (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 1996), viii + 522

Culture/Power/History: A Reader in Contemporary Social Theory, Editor with Nicholas B. Dirks and Sherry B. Ortner (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1993), xiv + 621

Reshaping the German Right. Radical Nationalism and Political Change after Bismarck. With a New Introduction. (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 1991), xxvi + 393

Wilhelminismus, Nationalismus, Faschismus. Zur historischen Kontinuität in Deutschland (Münster: Verlag Westfälisches Dampfboot, 1991), 302

Reviving the English Revolution. Reflections and Elaborations on the Work of Christopher Hill, Editor with William A. Hunt (London: Verso, 1988), 356

From Unification to Nazism: Reinterpreting the German Past (Boston: George Allen & Unwin, 1986), 290

The Peculiarities of German History. Bourgeois Society and Politics in Nineteenth-Century Germany, with David G. Blackbourn (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1984), 300

The Peculiarities of German History, with David G. Blackbourn (Japanese edition of Mythen deutscher Geschichtsschreibung, Kyoto, 1983), 186

Mythen deutscher Geschichtsschreibung: Die gescheiterte bürgerliche Revolution von 1848, with David G. Blackbourn (Frankfurt am Main: Ullstein Materialien, 1980), 139

Reshaping the German Right. Radical Nationalism and Political Change after Bismarck (New Haven and London: Yale University Press, 1980), 387

“The German Navy League in German Politics, 1898-1914,” Sussex University D. Phil. thesis, 1974

## **BOOKS IN PROGRESS:**

Genealogies of Nazism: Conservatives, Radical Nationalists, and Fascists in Germany, 1860-1945 (Routledge, under contract)

German Liberalism, Popular Politics, and the National State, 1860-1900 ( in progress)

History Made Conscious: The Politics of the Past (Duke University Press, under contract)

Twentieth-Century Europe (Cambridge University Press, under contract, in progress)



## ARTICLES AND ESSAYS:

“Liberalism Forever: Intellectual History, Social History, and the Global Adventures of a Concept,” Social History, 39 (2014), 428-39

“Memory and the Historians: Ordinary Life, Eventfulness, and the Instinctual Past,” in Lucy Noakes and Juliette Pattinson (eds.), British Cultural Memory and the Second World War (London: Bloomsbury, 2014), xi-xxi

“What Does It All Mean and What Difference Can It Make? A Conversation with Geoff Eley,” Melbourne Historical Journal, 41 (2013), 10-27

“Exile to the Ages (or, Returning Karl Marx To Our Time),” Los Angeles Review of Books, Oct. 28, 2013, <http://lareviewofbooks.org/review/exile-to-the-ages-or-returning-karl-marx-to-our-time>

“Class Formation, Politics, Structures of Feeling,” Labour/Le Travail, 72 (Fall 2013), 213-18

“Working-Class Agency: Past and Present,” Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas, 10:3 (2013), 35-39

“Beyond National Socialism?” (with S. Jonathan Wiesen), German Studies Review, 35:3 (2012), 475-79

“Empire, Ideology, and the East: Thoughts on Nazism’s Spatial Imaginary,” in Claus-Christian Szejnmann and Maiken Umbach (eds.), Heimat, Region, and Empire: Spatial Identities under National Socialism (Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan, 2012), 252-75

“Corporatism and the Social Democratic Moment: The Postwar Settlement, 1945-1973,” in Dan Stone (ed.), The Oxford Handbook of Postwar European History (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012), 37-59

“Thinking about the Left Today,” Labor: Studies in Working-Class History of the Americas, 8:4 (2011), 57-64

“The Past Under Erasure? History, Memory, and the Contemporary,” Journal of Contemporary History, 46:3 (2011), 1-19

“End of the Post-War? The 1970s as a Key Watershed in European History,” Journal of Modern European History, 9:1 (2011), 12-17

“A Disorder of Peoples: The Uncertain Ground of Reconstruction in 1945,” in Jessica Reinisch and Elizabeth White (eds.), The Disentanglement of Populations: Migration, Expulsion and Displacement in Post-War Europe, 1944-1949 (Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan, 2011), 291-314

“Origins, Post-Conservatism, and the History of the Right,” Central European History, 43 (2010), 327-39

“Imperial Imaginary, Colonial Effect: Writing the Colony and the Metropole Together,” in Catherine Hall and Keith McClelland (eds.), Race, Nation and Empire: Making Histories, 1750 to the Present (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2010), 217-36

“How is the National Past Imagined? National Sentimentality, True Feeling, and the ‘Heritage Film,’ 1980-1995,” in Philippa Levine and Susan R. Grayzel (eds.), Gender, Labour, War, and Empire: Essays on Modern Britain (Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan, 2009), 238-55

“The Trouble with ‘Race’: Migrancy, Cultural Difference, and the Remaking of Europe,” in Rita Chin, Heide Fehrenbach, Geoff Eley, and Atina Grossmann, After the Nazi Racial State: Democracy and Difference in

Germany and Europe (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2009), 137-81, 227-42

“Dilemmas and Challenges of Social History since the 1960s: What Comes after the Cultural Turn?,” South African Historical Journal, 60/3 (2008), 310-33

“No Need to Choose: Cultural History and the History of Society,” in Belinda Davis, Thomas Lindenberger, and Michael Wildt (eds.), Alltag, Erfahrung, Eigensinn. Historisch-anthropologische Erkundungen (Frankfurt am Main: Campus, 2008), 61-73

“‘. . . an embarrassment to the family, to the public, and to the state’: Liberalism and the Rights of Women, 1860-1914,” in Dominik Geppert and Robert Gerwarth (eds.), Antagonism and Entanglement: Wilhelmine Germany and Edwardian Britain (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2008), 143-71

“When Europe was New: Liberation and the Making of the Postwar,” in Monica Riera and Gavin Schaffer (eds.), The Lasting War: Society and Identity in Britain, France and Germany after 1945 (Houndmills: Palgrave, 2008), 17-43

“Europe after 1945,” History Workshop Journal, 65 (Spring 2008), 195-212

“The Profane and Imperfect World of Historiography,” AHR Forum on Geoff Eley’s A Crooked Line, American Historical Review, 113, 2 (April 2008), 425-37

“Democracy, the Working Class, and Citizenship,” in José Miguel Arias Neto (ed.), História: Guerra e Paz (Londrina: ANPUH, Associação de História, 2007), 221-39

“Introduction: Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany,” in Geoff Eley and Jan Palmowski (eds.), Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2007), 3-23

“Some General Thoughts on Citizenship in Germany,” in Geoff Eley and Jan Palmowski (eds.), Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2007), 233-46

“Straightening the Line?,” German History, 25 (2007), 633-6

“What Produces Democracy? Revolutionary Crises, Popular Politics, and Democratic Gains in Twentieth-Century Europe,” in Mike Haynes and Jim Wolfreys (eds.), History and Revolution: Refuting Revisionism (London: Verso, 2007), 172-201, 244-52

“Peace in the Neighborhood,” Left History, 12.1 (Spring/Summer 2007), 111-25

“Historicizing the Global, Politicizing Capital: Giving the Present a Name,” History Workshop Journal, 63 (Spring 2007), 154-88

“Communism,” in Jay Winter and John Merriman (eds.), Scribner Library of Modern Europe. Europe Since 1914 – Encyclopedia of the Age of War and Reconstruction, Vol. I (New York: Charles Scribner’s Sons/Thomson Gale, 2006),

“Editorial: Klasse,” with Marc Büggeln, WerkstattGeschichte, 41 (2005), 3-6

“How and Where is German History Centered?,” in Neil Gregor, Nils Roemer, and Mark Roseman (eds.), German History from the Margins (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2006), 268-86

“Writing in Opposition,” Left History, 11.1 (Spring 2006), 20-25

“Is All the World a Text? From Social History to the History of Society Two Decades Later,” in Gabrielle M.

Spiegel (ed.), Practicing History: New Directions in Historical Writing after the Linguistic Turn (New York: Routledge, 2005), 35-61

“Rückkehr zur NS-Ideologie: Überlegungen zu einer möglichen Neukonzeptualisierung nach Lektüre des Buchs von Michael Wildt über die Männer des Reichssicherheitshauptamts,” WerkstattGeschichte, 40 (2005), 93-101

“Missionaries of the Volksgemeinschaft: Ordinary Women and the Nazification of the East,” Gender and History, 17 (2005), 502-9

“Being Undisciplined. On Your Marx: From Cultural History to the History of Society,” in George Steinmetz (ed.), The Politics of Method in the Human Sciences: Positivism and its Epistemological Others (Durham: Duke University Press, 2005), 496-507

“Some Thoughts on Confessionalization.” Contribution for Forum on “Confessionalization,” H-German, May 10, 2005

“Politica, cultura e sfera pubblica,” Contemporanea, 8, 2 (April 2005), 337-45

“Der neue Gebhardt: Zwischen Strukturgeschichte und klassischer Modernisierung,” Neue Politische Literatur, 49 (2004), 5-14

“Volver a empezar: el presente, lo postmoderno y el momento de la historia social” (with Keith Nield), Historia Social, 50 (2004), 47-58

Forum on *The Peculiarities of German History*, with David Blackbourn, German History, 22 (2004), 229-45

“Frauen und geschlechtsbezogene nationale Staatsbürgerstatus in Deutschland, 1860-1914,” in Daniela Münkler and Jutta Schwarzkopf (eds.), Festschrift Adelheid von Saldern: Geschichte als Experiment. Stadt – Medien – Arbeit (Frankfurt am Main: Campus Verlag, 2004), 217-27

“The Unease of History: Settling Accounts with the East German Past,” History Workshop Journal, 57 (Spring 2004), 173-99

“John Edward Christopher Hill (1912-2003),” Balliol College Annual Record (2003), 26-32, reprinted in History Workshop Journal, 56 (Autumn 2003), 287-94.

“Marxist Historiography,” in Stefan Berger, Heiko Feldner, and Kevin Passmore (eds.), Writing History: Theory and Practice (London: Arnold, 2003), 63-82

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich”, Michigan Quarterly Review, XLII, 2 (Spring 2003), 389-425, and XLII, 3 (Summer 2003), 550-83

“Preface,” Geoff Eley, Un mundo que ganar. Historia de la izquierda en Europa, 1850-2000 (Barcelona: Crítica, 2003), ix-xvi

“Foreword,” in Adelheid von Saldern, The Challenge of Modernity: German Social and Cultural Studies, 1890-1960 (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2002), ix-xx

“Making a Place in the Nation: Meanings of ‘Citizenship’ in Wilhelmine Germany,” in Geoff Eley and James Retallack (eds.), Wilhelminism and its Legacies: German Modernities, Imperialism, and the Meanings of Reform, 1890-1930 (New York and Oxford: Berghahn Books, 2003), 16-33

“Democracia, cultura de masas y ciudadanía,” in M. Cruz Romeo and Ismael Saz (eds.), El siglo xx. Historiografía e historia (Valencia: Universitat de València, 2002), 117-36

“Beneath the Skin. Or: How to Forget about the Empire Without Really Trying,” in Tony Ballantyne (ed.), From Orientalism to Ornamentalism: Empire and Difference in History, Special Issue of Journal of Colonialism and Colonial History, 3, 1 (Spring 2002)

“Politics, Culture, and the Public Sphere,” positions, 10, 1 (Spring 2002), 219-36

“Finding the People’s War: Film, British Collective Memory, and World War II,” American Historical Review, 106, 3 (June 2001), 818-838

“The Generations of Social History,” in Peter N. Stearns (ed.), Encyclopedia of European Social History: From 1350 to 2000, Vol. 1 (New York: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2001), 3-29

“Ordinary Germans, Nazism, and Judeocide,” in Geoff Eley (ed.), The Goldhagen Effect. History, Memory, Nazism: Facing the German Past (University of Michigan Press, 2000), 1-32

“Modernization, Modernity,” in Roman Horak, et al. (eds.), Metropole Wien: Texturen der Moderne, Vol. 2 (Vienna: WUV-Universitäts-Verlag, 2000), 13-19

“Historical Accountability and the Contest of Memory: Nazism and Business History,” The Public Historian, 22 (Summer 2000), 139-45

“Between Social History and Cultural Studies: Interdisciplinarity and the Practice of the Historian at the End of the Twentieth Century,” in Joep Leerssen and Ann Rigney (eds.), Historians and Social Values (Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press, 2000), 93-109

“Culture, Nation, and Gender,” in Ida Blom, Karen Hagemann, and Catherine Hall (eds.), Gendered Nations: Nationalisms and Gender Order in the Long Nineteenth Century (Oxford: Berg, 2000), 27-40

“Farewell to the Working Class?” (with Keith Nield), International Labor and Working-Class History, 57 (Spring 2000), 1-30; and “Reply: Class and the Politics of History,” 76-87

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“Where Are We Now With Theories of Fascism?” History Department Seminar, Emory University, November 2, 2009

“Central European Jewish Culture: Revisions and Revisualizations.” Comment at Conference, University of Michigan, October 23, 2009

“Rethinking German Modernities: A Roundtable.” German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, October 9, 2009

“What Was German Modernity?” Paper for Session on “Rethinking German Modernities: Historicizing Competing Visions of Reform and the Social,” German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, October 9, 2009

“Gender Panic, 1914-1930: National Bodies, New Women, Damaged Men.” Paper to Colloquium, School of Criticism and Theory, Cornell University, Ithaca, July, 2, 2009

“Where Are We Now With Theories of Fascism?” Lecture, School of Criticism and Theory, Cornell University, Ithaca, June 29, 2009

“History in a Moment of Danger? National Retrieval, Memory, Everydayness.” Paper to Conference, “At the Crossroads of Past and Present: ‘Contemporary’ History and the Historical Discipline,” King’s College London and London School of Economics, May 22-23, 2009

“The Relation of History to Film.” Presentation to Workshop, University of Warwick, May 20, 2009

“Antisemitism and the Limits of Liberalism.” Presentation to Workshop, University of Warwick, May 19, 2009

“Historical Methodologies in the Humanities and Social Sciences.” Presentation to Workshop, University of Warwick, May 15, 2009

“A Disorder of Peoples: The Uncertain Ground of Reconstruction in 1945.” Guest Lecture, Modern European History Research Center, University of Oxford, May 12, 2009

“‘1968’ and Academia – How Social Movements Affect Key Disciplines.” Roundtable, University of Warwick, May 12, 2009

“Being Undisciplined: What Are the Stakes of Interdisciplinarity Today?” Guest Lecture, University of Warwick, May 7, 2009

“Remembering the Future: Intellectuals, Politics, and the Uses of the Past.” Kaplan Lecture, University of Pennsylvania, March 30, 2009

“A Critical Theory of Subalternity: Reflections on the Global Impact of Ranajit Guha’s *Elementary Aspects of Peasant Insurgency in Colonial India*.” Comment on Session at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, New York City, January 3, 2009

*Logics of History: Social Theory and Social Transformation*, Roundtable on the work of William H. Sewell Jr. Presidential Session, American Historical Association Annual Meeting, New York City, January 2, 2009

“The Trouble with ‘Race’: Migrancy, National Belonging, and Citizenship in Europe.” Workshop, Virginia Tech, November 18, 2008

“Empire by Sea or Land? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1840-1945.” Guest Lecture, Virginia Tech, November 17, 2008

“Remembering the Future: Intellectuals, Politics, and the Use of the Past.” Guest Lecture, McGill University, November 5, 2008

“Writing the History of the Left.” Guest Seminar, McGill Institute for the Study of Canada, November 5, 2008

“The *Generalplan Ost* – Population Policy.” Comment at Conference on “Science, Planning, Expulsion: The National Socialist General Plan for the East.” University of Toronto, October 15-17, 2008

“Telling Stories about Sixty-Eight: Troublemaking, Political Passions, and the Enabling of Democracy.” Luncheon Address, German Studies Association Annual Meeting, St. Paul, October 4, 2008

“Global Stories and German Questions.” Moderator, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, St.



Paul, October 4, 2008

“Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945.” Keynote Lecture, Midwest German History Workshop, University of Toronto, September 19-20, 2008

“Remembering the Future: Intellectuals, Politics, and the Use [Value] of the Past.” Paper for Conference on “Social Theory and Social Transformation” in Honor of William H. Sewell, Jr., University of Chicago, May 30-31, 2008

“1968, Democracy, and Social Movements.” Guest Lecture, Department of History, University of Birmingham, May 1, 2008

“Rethinking German Modernities in the Early Twentieth Century.” Guest Lecture, Department of German, University of Warwick, April 30, 2008

“What is the Imperial Imaginary? Britain in Europe and the World, 1815-2003.” Neale Lecture, University College London, April 24, 2008

“Empire, Ethics, and the Calling of History.” Comment on Dipesh Chakrabarty, Marc and Constance Jacobson Lecture and Symposium, Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan, March 25, 2008

Remembering the Future: What Use is the Past?” Distinguished University Lecture, University of Michigan, March 24, 2008

Co-Host, Conference on “Writing in Public: A Celebration of Karl Pohrt.” University of Michigan, March 6-7, 2008

“Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945.” Guest Lecture, Department of Political Science, University of Chicago, January 25, 2008

“Thinking Outside the Bismarckian Box.” Comment on Session at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, January 5, 2008

“Intellectual Origins of German Colonial Studies.” Roundtable, American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, January 3, 2008

Co-Host, Conference on “Practices and Power in the Everyday Life of the Twentieth Century: A Symposium in Honor of Alf Lüdtke.” University of Michigan, November 9-10, 2007

“Whatever Happened to the Intellectual Left? Brown Bag Lecture, Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan, October 23, 2007

“Transnational Studies in Global Perspective.” Roundtable at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 6, 2007

“Globalizing Germany . . . Germanizing the Global.” Paper for Session on “Transnational – Global – Transatlantic,” at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 5, 2007

“German Social Democracy in the Twentieth Century: Internationalism, Europeanism, and Nationalism in the SPD.” Moderator, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 5, 2007

“No Need to Choose: Cultural History and the History of Society.” Opening Presentation for Conference on “Thinking Through the Cultural Turn: A Generation Reflects. Writing Histories in an Interdisciplinary and Transnational Age.” University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras Campus, September 24-26, 2007

- “Writing the History of German Colonialism: Some Overarching Thoughts.” Keynote Lecture for Conference on “Germany’s Colonialism in Comparative Perspective,” San Francisco State University, September 6-9, 2007
- “Peace in the Neighborhood: What Comes After the Cultural Turn?”, Keynote Address, South African Historical Society Conference, University of Johannesburg, June 25-27, 2007
- “No Need to Choose: Cultural History and the History of Society.” Seminar Presentation, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa, June 22, 2007
- “From the Social to the Cultural: An Unfinished Passage?” Workshop, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa, June 20, 2007
- “No Need to Choose: Cultural History and the History of Society.” Seminar Presentation, University of Johannesburg, South Africa, June 22, 2007
- Commentator for Seminar on “Public Deliberation and Public Intellectuals,” Quarterly Workshop on “Public Conversations,” Project of The Constitution of Public Intellectual Life, Graduate School for the Humanities, University of Witswatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, June 18, 2007
- “Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, German Historical Institute, London, May 24, 2007
- “Writing in Opposition.” Keynote for Conference on “Writing in Opposition: The European Left and Democracy in the Twentieth Century and Beyond,” Center for Research on the Cultural Forms of Modern European Politics (CultMEP), University of Manchester, May 23, 2007
- “What is the History of Globalization?,” Seminar for Migration and Diaspora Cultural Studies Network (MDCSN), University of Manchester, May 16, 2007
- “European Liberalism in Comparative Perspective.” Roundtable, Center for Research on the Cultural Forms of Modern European Politics (CultMEP), University of Manchester, May 15, 2007
- “Historians, Photographs, and Film.” Seminar Presentation at Center for Interdisciplinary Research in the Arts (CIDRA), University of Manchester, May 10, 2007
- Co-Host, Conference on “From Resistance to Consensus to Negotiation: Changing Approaches to the History of Italian Fascism.” University of Michigan, April 27-28, 2007
- “Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945.” Guest Lecture, German Historical Institute, Washington, DC, March 28, 2007
- “Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945.” Guest Lecture, College of William and Mary, March 27, 2007
- “Mass-Mediating War: How Movies Shaped Memory in the Postwar.” Comment for Panel at Conference on “Histories of the Aftermath: The European ‘Postwar’ in Comparative Perspective,” University of California San Diego, February 16-17, 2007
- Commentator for Session on “Politics.” Conference on “Global Place: Politics, Practice, and Polis,” Taubman College of Architecture and Planning, University of Michigan, January 5, 2007
- “Stalin’s Great Terror.” Commentator on Session at Conference on “Revolution and State Terror,” Mellon Seminar Series on Mass Violence and Genocide, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Palo Alto, December 8-9, 2006

Comment on Ernesto Laclau, “The Discursive Construction of the People as a Collective Actor.” Lecture Series on “What’s Left in Latin America?,” Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Michigan, November 10, 2006

“Generations: A Useful Category of Historical Analysis?” Paper for Midwest German History Workshop, University of Toronto, November 3-4, 2006

“Geopolitical Contexts of the Iraq War.” Presentation for the Teach-Out on the Iraq War, University of Michigan, October 30, 2006

“Rethinking the Nineteenth Century.” Closing Roundtable at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, October 1, 2006

“Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945.” Paper at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, September 29, 2006

“Historicizing the Global.” Paper for Session on “Making Global History” at Tepoztlán Institute for the Transnational History of the Americas, Tepoztlán, Mexico, July 26-August 2, 2006

“*Translatinidades*: Why Shakira’s Hips Don’t Lie.” Comment for Session at Tepoztlán Institute for the Transnational History of the Americas, Tepoztlán, Mexico, July 26-August 2, 2006

“Theory and Practice of History.” Session on *A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society* (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2006) for Tepoztlán Institute for the Transnational History of the Americas, Tepoztlán, Mexico, July 26-August 2, 2006

“Perspectives on Globalization: Historical and Cultural Perspectives,” University of Nevada, Reno, April 24-25, 2006

“Beyond Habermas: Uses of the Public Sphere.” Presentation for Roundtable on “Islam and the Public Sphere,” University of California, Santa Barbara, April 21, 2006

“German Liberals, the Well-Ordered Public, and the Patriarchal Nation, 1860-1920.” Paper for Conference on “Wilhelmine Germany and Edwardian Britain – Cultural Contacts and Transfers,” Oxford, March 23-24, 2006

“A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society.” Guest Lecture, York University, Toronto, March 13, 2006

“The Trouble with ‘Race’: Migration, National Belonging, and Citizenship in Europe.” Paper for Workshop on “After the Racial State: Difference and Democracy in Postfascist Germany,” University of Michigan February 10, 2006

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, Yale University, January 18, 2006

“From Cultural History to the History of Society: A Roundtable Discussion of *A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society* by Geoff Eley.” Subject of panel at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, January 6, 2006

“Global 1956 – Roundtable.” Chair, Panel at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, January 5, 2006

“A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society.” Lecture for “Rethinking History from Below.” 2005-2006 James Morton Callahan Lecture, West Virginia University, October 11, 2005

- “Decentering Narrative.” Panel for “Visual Archives: History and Narrative in Film and New Media,” University of Michigan, October 6, 2005
- “The Politics and Ideology of the Radical Right.” Commentator for Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, September 29, 2005
- “No Need to Choose: Cultural History and the History of Society.” Paper for “The State of Cultural History: A Conference in Honor of Laurence Levine,” George Mason University, September 16-17, 2005
- “Forging Democracy: The Left in Europe.” Guest Lecture, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil, August 5, 2005
- “Writing the History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000.” Guest Lecture, University of Campinas, Brazil, August 4, 2005
- “Writing the History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000.” Guest Lecture, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, August 2, 2005
- “Working-Class Movements and the Achievement of Democracy.” Plenary Address, XXII Symósio Nacional de História, Londrina, Brazil, July 20, 2005
- “Visualizing German Memory: Writing the History of Sebald’s Twentieth Century.” Paper to Conference on “W. G. Sebald’s Use of Images,” University College of Cork, July 1-3, 2005
- “The Left and the Liberation of Europe.” Paper to Conference on “The End of World War II in Comparative Perspective: Britain, France, and Germany,” University of Portsmouth, June 24-25, 2005
- “Ruins of World War II.” Chair, Panel at Conference on “Ruins of Modernity,” University of Michigan, March 17-19, 2005
- “History, Representation, Politics.” Plenary Keynote Address, Conference on “Globalization and Representation,” University of Brighton, March 12-13, 2005
- “Globalization and the Writing of History.” Paper for Conference on “Globalization and Representation,” University of Brighton, March 12-13, 2005
- “From the Social to the Cultural? How Should We Think About Class Now?” With Keith Nield, Paper for Seminars with Graduates and Faculty, Institute of Historical Studies, University of Michigan, February 16-17, 2005
- “Pessimism of the Intellect, Utopianism of the Will: Is There Nostalgia for the Future?” Paper for Project on Present Futures of Utopian Thought, University of Chicago, February 11, 2005
- “History and Narrative.” Comment on Fredric Jameson, Marc and Constance Jacobson Lecture and Symposium, Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan, February 2-3, 2005
- “Bodies Politic: ‘Körperbildung,’ Politics, and Nation in Modern Germany.” Chair, Panel at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, January 6-9, 2005
- “Framing War and Peace: Photography and Culture in the 1940s.” Commentator for Panel at North American Conference on British Studies (NACBS), Philadelphia, October 29-31, 2004
- “Cultural Reform, Imperialism, and the State in Wilhelmine Germany.” Commentator for Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, October 8-10, 2004

“New Perspectives on Democratization: Race and Ethnicity across the 1945 Divide.” Chair, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, October 8-10, 2004

“Some General Thoughts on Citizenship in Germany.” Paper for Conference on “Citizenship and National Identity in Twentieth-Century Germany,” Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford, September 7-13, 2004.

“Crossing East and West: Divergence and Interdependence in the History of Europe.” Lecture for Conference on “Where is Europe?,” University of Pittsburgh, April 9-10, 2004

“A Crooked Line: From Cultural History to the History of Society.” Lecture for “Rethinking History from Below,” Annual Conference on History and Theory, University of California, Irvine, March 13, 2004

Final Panel, “Trans/Formations of the Disciplines: Evaluating the Project of Anthropology and History,” University of Michigan, February 13-14, 2004

“Crossing East and West: Convergence and Interdependence in the History of the Left in Europe.” Guest Lecture, King’s College, University of London, UK, February 9, 2004

“From Social History to Cultural Studies: The Politics of Interdisciplinarity since the 1960s.” Invited Seminar Paper, University of Brighton, UK, February 5, 2004

“Still Fighting: A Comparative View of National Cultures and Public Memory of the Second World War.” Comment for Panel at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, January 8-11, 2004

“Empire by Land or Sea? Germany’s Imperial Imaginary, 1871-1945” for the session on “Empire.” Paper for Sixth Midwestern German History Workshop, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, October 17-19, 2003

“Forging Democracy: The Left in Europe.” Guest Lecture, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, October 10, 2003

“Writing the History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000.” Guest Lecture, University of Cambridge, October 8, 2003

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, University of Nottingham, October 6, 2003

“Revisiting Alltagsgeschichte. Praxis in Everyday Life and the Discipline of History.” Chair, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, September 19-21, 2003

“Local, National, and Transnational Public Spheres: The GDR Example.” Commentator, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, September 19-21, 2003

“War Without Borders: Empire/Rights/Security,” Anthropology-History Colloquium, University of Michigan, March 28, 2003

“International Implications of the War on Iraq,” International Institute Symposium, University of Michigan, March 31, 2003

“Nation, National Identities, and Collective Memories.” Paper for Conference on “Gendering Modern German History: Rewritings of the Mainstream (19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries),” German Historical Institute of Washington and the Munk Center for International Studies, University of Toronto, March 21-23, 2003

“Das Kaiserreich in der Sackgasse? Reform, Democracy, and Wilhelmine Modernities.” Paper for “From Empire to Federal Republic: Elites, Violence, and Society in Modern German History,” a Conference in Honor of Volker Berghahn on the Occasion of his 65<sup>th</sup> Birthday, Columbia University, New York, February 20-22,

2003

“From Social History to Cultural Studies: How to be Undisciplined,” History Department Workshop, University of Cincinnati, January 30, 2003

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties,” Guest Lecture, European Studies Program, University of Cincinnati, January 30, 2003

“The Making of the English Working Class at Forty: A Roundtable on the Global Impact of a Local Study.” Chair of Session at American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, January 3-5, 2003

“On Your Marx: From Cultural History to the History of Society,” Collegiate Lecture, University of Michigan, November 18, 2002

“How Does the Englishman Lose his Feelings? Fear of Sex, the Damage of History, and the Injuries of Class in ‘The Go-Between.’” Paper for Panel on “Unsettling ‘Repression’: Narratives of Emotion and Masculine Subjectivity in 20<sup>th</sup>-Century Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies (NACBS), Baltimore November 8-10, 2002

“Democracy and Anti-Capitalism.” Paper for Second Annual Conference on “Globalization and its Discontents: Politics, Culture, Resistance,” University of Brighton, UK, November 3, 2002

Final Comment, Second Annual Conference on “Globalization and its Discontents: Politics, Culture, Resistance,” University of Brighton, UK, November 3, 2002

“German Liberals, the Well-Ordered Public, and the Patriarchal Nation, 1860-1920.” Paper for Panel on “Liberalism, Bismarck, and Gender,” German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 4-7, 2002

“In the Shadow of Defeat: German Transitions from War to Postwar.” Chair, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 4-7, 2002

“The City and the Poor, 1800-2000.” Chair, Panel at German Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, October 4-7, 2002

“How and Where is German History Centered?” Final Comment, Conference on “German History from the Margins,” University of Southampton, UK, September 13-15 2002

“Problems in the History of the Left in Europe, 1850-2000.” Seminar, University of California, San Diego, April 29, 2002

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, University of California, Irvine, April 25, 2002

Comment for “Beyond the Boundaries of the Nation: Thematic Wrap-Up.” Conference on “Rethinking Weimar,” University of Michigan, April 19-21, 2002

“Legacies of Nazism and West German Political Identity.” Guest Lecture, Lewis and Clark College, April 3, 2002

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties.” Public Lecture, National Institute of Social Science, Australian National University, Canberra, March 28, 2002

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, University of New South Wales, March 27, 2002

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties.” Public Lecture, Goethe Institute, Sydney, March 25, 2002

“Between Social History and Cultural Studies.” Graduate Seminar, University of Sydney, March 25, 2002

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties.” Guest Lecture, Contemporary Europe Research Center, University of Melbourne, March 22, 2002

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Guest Lecture, University of Melbourne, March 21, 2002

“Hitler’s Silent Majority? Conformity and Resistance under the Third Reich.” Seminar, University of Sydney, March 18, 2002.

“The Meanings of Reform: Nation and Citizen in Imperial Germany.” Paper to German Studies Group, Harvard University Center for European Studies, March 4, 2002.

“Democracy, Popular Culture, and the National Past: National Citizenship and the Politics of Nostalgia in Western Europe, 1945-2000.” Paper to Mellon Seminar on “Nations and Identities: Between Culture and State,” UCLA Humanities Consortium, October 15, 2001.

“The Meanings of Reform in Wilhelmine Germany.” Paper for Panel on “Questions of German Modernity.” German Studies Association Annual Conference, Washington DC, October 4-7, 2001.

Moderator for Panel on “Perceptions of Nation: Regionalism and Nation-Building in Nineteenth-Century Germany.” German Studies Association Annual Conference, Washington DC, October 4-7, 2001.

Comment for Panel on “The Public Sphere” at Conference sponsored by the German Historical Institute on “Coming to Terms with the Past in West Germany: The 1960s,” University of Nebraska, April 19-21, 2001.

Moderator for Panel on “German Anthropology in Colonial Contexts: Africa, Brazil, and Berlin.” German Studies Association Annual Conference, Houston, October 8, 2000

Comment for Panel on “Public Spheres, Public Cultures, and Urban Social Life in Central Europe, 1848-1914.” German Studies Association Annual Conference, Houston, October 7, 2000

“Social Memory and the Forms of Remembrance.” Comment for Seminar on “Archives, Documentation, and the Institutions of Social Memory,” Advanced Study Seminar, International Institute, University of Michigan, October 4, 2000

“Gender, Nationalism, and the Boundaries of Citizenship in Germany, 1890-1920.” Paper for Panel on “Gender, Race, Xenophobia, and Nationalism,” 19<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Historical Sciences, Oslo, August 8, 2000

“What’s Left of Utopia?” Lecture, Series on “Utopias at the Turn of the Century/End of the Millennium,” University of Washington, Seattle, May 15, 2000

“Democracy, Mass Culture, and Citizenship.” Paper to Congress of Contemporary Spanish Historians, “Twentieth Century: Balance and Perspectives,” Valencia, Spain, May 2-5, 2000

Final Comment for Conference on “Armenians and the End of the Ottoman Empire,” University of Chicago, March 17-19, 2000

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties.” Lecture, Graduate Faculty, New School University, March 1, 2000

“Between Social History and Cultural Studies: Interdisciplinarity and the Practice of History at the End of the Century.” Anthropology/History Colloquium, University of Michigan, October 29, 1999

“Culture, Nation, Gender.” Seminar, Program on the Comparative Study of Social Transformations, University of Michigan, October 28, 1999

“New Social Movements: Politics Out of Doors.” Paper to German Studies Colloquium, University of Michigan, October 22, 1999

“Citizenship and Nation in Imperial Germany.” Lecture, Symposium on Nationalism, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 20, 1999

“History and Cinema: Imagining Britain’s Past.” Vancouver Institute Lecture, Vancouver, October 16, 1999

“Between Social History and Cultural Studies: The Practice of the Historian at the End of the Twentieth Century.” Seminar, Green College, University of British Columbia, October 14, 1999

“New Politics for New Times: Transformations of the Left in Europe since the Sixties.” Guest Lecture, Institute for European Studies, University of British Columbia, October 14, 1999

“Legacies of Anti-Fascism: Building Democracy in Postwar Europe.” Guest Lecture, History Department, University of British Columbia, October 13, 1999

“Cities and National Culture.” Paper to Mellon Sawyer Seminar on “Cities, Modernism, and the Problem of National Culture,” International Center for Advanced Studies, New York University, December 11, 1998

“Ordinary Germans, Nazism, and the Origins of Antisemitism.” Guest Lecture, Northern Illinois University, October 27, 1998

“Legacies of Anti-Fascism: Building Democracy in Postwar Europe.” Seminar, Northern Illinois University, October 27, 1998

“The European Left after the Second World War.” Guest Lecture, Cornell University, October 5, 1998

“Work, Crime, and Colonialism: The Culture of Modernity in Wilhelmine Germany.” Comment on Panel, German Studies Association, Salt Lake City, October 10, 1998

“Cultural Socialism, the Public Sphere, and the Mass Form: Popular Culture and the Democratic Project, 1900-1934.” Paper to Mellon Sawyer Seminar on “Democratic Detours,” Cornell University, October 5, 1998

“Nationalism and Culture: Thinking Comparatively.” Paper to Conference on “Mapping Jewish Identities,” Lehigh University, May 17-19, 1998

“The Fault Lines of National Identity.” Comment for Conference on “Vocabularies of Identity in Russia and Eastern Europe,” University of Michigan, April 3-4, 1998

“Nationalism and Culture.” Comment for Conference on “Gendered Nations in the Long Nineteenth Century,” Berlin, March 26-28, 1998

“Social History and Cultural Studies in the Critique of Englishness.” Comment on keynote address at Conference on “The Consciousness of Modernity in Britain, 1870-1940,” Annual Neale Colloquium, University College London, February 27-28, 1998

“Cinema and the Construction of the National Past.” Seminar and Lecture, Social Theory Program, University of



Kentucky, January 22-24, 1998

“German Film as History: Society, Ideology, Culture.” Chair, Panel at A.H.A. Annual Meeting, Seattle, January 11, 1998

“Problems with Culture: German History after the Linguistic Turn.” Paper to Conference on “Remapping the German Past: Grand Narrative, Causality, and Postmodernism,” German Historical Institute, Washington, D.C., December 5-7, 1997

Commentator and Moderator, Midwestern German History Workshop, University of Michigan, November 8-9, 1997

Moderator, Symposium on “The Goldhagen Effect,” University of Michigan, November 7, 1997

“Making a New Left: 1968, Feminism, and the Red in the Green.” Paper for Panel on “Historicizing 1968,” German Studies Association, Washington, D.C., September 26-28, 1997

“Building a New House with Old Stones: The Problem of Historical Embeddedness in the GDR.” Chair, Panel at German Studies Association, Washington, D.C., September 26-28, 1997

“Publishing Trends in German Cultural Studies.” Round Table at German Studies Association, Washington, D.C., September 26-28, 1997

“Between Social History and Cultural Studies: The Practice of the Historian at the End of the Twentieth Century.” Paper to Conference on “Social Values and the Responsibilities of the Historian,” Huizinga Instituut, Amsterdam, June 19-24, 1997

“How is History Represented: Cinema and the Construction of the National Past in Contemporary Britain.” Paper to Conference on “Dissolving Boundaries: History Writing Towards the Third Millennium,” Warwick University, June 30-July 1, 1997

“The European Left after World War Two.” Paper presented to the Twentieth-Century Seminar, Columbia University, February 26, 1997, and CUNY Graduate Center, February 27, 1997

“Language, Representation, and Identity.” Comment on Panel at Conference on “Doing History in the Shadow of the Balkan Wars,” University of Michigan, January 18, 1997

“History after the Linguistic Turn.” Seminar presentation, History Department, Vanderbilt University, November 21, 1996

“Film and History.” Seminar presentation for the annual theme “The Question of Culture,” Humanities Center, Vanderbilt University, November 21, 1996

“Liberalism and Civil Society in Modern Britain and Germany: Ideas, Traditions, Practices.” Faculty Commentator, Graduate Student Workshop, Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies, Harvard University, November 15-17, 1996

“Responses to German Unification.” Comment for Symposium, Goethe Institute, Ann Arbor, October 21, 1996

“What is Cultural History?” Concluding Commentary for Conference on “Kulturalismus und vergleichende Forschung in Sozialgeschichte und historischer Soziologie,” Free University, Berlin, July 12-13, 1996

“Legacies of Anti-Fascism: Building Democracy in Postwar Europe.” Guest Lecture, Tel Aviv University, May 29, 1996

- “What is Cultural History?” Guest Lecture, Tel Aviv University, June 3, 1996
- “Making Democracy in Germany, 1870-1933.” Guest Lecture, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, May 26, 1996
- “Identifying the Nation: Ambiguities of Citizenship in Imperial Germany.” Paper for Panel on “Citizenship and the Nation Form in Germany,” A.H.A. Annual Meeting, Atlanta, January 5, 1996
- “Remembering the Future: 1945, Survival, and Liberation.” Paper to Conference on “The Persistence of Memory,” Harvard University, October 20-21, 1995
- “Legacies of Anti-Fascism: Constructing Democracy in Postwar Europe.” Paper to Conference on “Antifascismi e Resistenze,” Fondazione Istituto Gramsci, Rome, October 5-6, 1995
- “State, Social Welfare, and Citizenship in Weimar Germany.” Comment on Panel at German Studies Association Annual Conference, Chicago, September 24, 1995
- “The People’s War and the People’s Peace. Anti-Fascism and Democratic Nostalgia in Postwar Britain, 1945-1979.” Guest Lecture, Center for Social History, University of Warwick, May 9, 1995
- “Popular Culture and the Democratic Project.” Seminar, University of Southampton, May 2, 1995
- “The People’s War and the People’s Peace: Constructing Democracy in Postwar Britain.” Paper for Symposium on “Cultural and Political Histories: Britain and Germany in the Twentieth Century,” University of Portsmouth, April 29, 1995
- “Watching ‘Schindler's List’: Not the Final Word.” Guest Lecture, University of Southampton, April 27, 1995
- “Things Never Really Change in England, or: England, Whose England? Imagining the Nation in Lindsay Anderson’s ‘If . . .’ ” Paper to Conference on “Imagining Nations,” University of York, April 21-23, 1995
- “Women and Socialism in Interwar Europe.” Comment on Workshop, Paris, November 3-5, 1994
- “Is Class Still a Subject? Comparative Reflections.” Plenary Lecture, Sixteenth Annual North American Labor History Conference, Wayne State University, October 27, 1994
- “War and the Twentieth-Century State.” Paper to Daedalus Authors’ Conference on “The Twentieth-Century State,” Cambridge, Mass., September 16-19, 1994
- “Historicizing European Democracy, 1859-1992.” Guest Lecture to Summer School for Eastern European Political Scientists, Gdansk, July 22, 1994
- “Nationalism, Revolution, and Statemaking in Europe, 1914-1923.” Guest Lecture, Center for European Studies, University of Minnesota, May 6, 1994
- “Historicizing Democracy in Europe: Nations, Publics, and Political Cultures, 1860-1992.” Lippicott Symposium Lecture, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota, May 4, 1994
- “What is Cultural History?” Paper to “German Cultural History: A Symposium,” Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies, Harvard University, April 29-30, 1994
- “How is the Working Class Represented? Memory, Gender, and the Construction of the National Past in Postwar British Film.” Guest Lecture, Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis, April 25, 1994
- “Cultural Socialism, the Public Sphere, and the Mass Form: Popular Culture and the Democratic Project, 1900-

1934.” Paper to Conference on “Past and Present: The Challenge of E. P. Thompson,” Princeton, April 22-23, 1994

“Is Class Still a Subject?” Guest Lecture, Department of History, SUNY-Stony Brook, April 20, 1994

“Cultural Socialism and the Mass Public: Disciplinary Nightmare or Emancipatory Dream?” Guest Lecture, Humanities Institute, SUNY-Stony Brook, April 19, 1994

“Is There a History of the Kaiserreich?” Paper to Center for German and European Studies Seminar, Georgetown University, March 24, 1994

“Democratizing the Public Sphere: Cultural Socialism, Counter-Hegemonic Potentials, and the Mass Form, 1900-1934.” Paper to Comparative Literature Brown Bag, University of Michigan, March 11, 1994

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